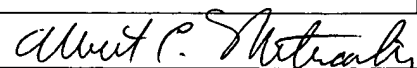


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Examiner Name	Not assigned
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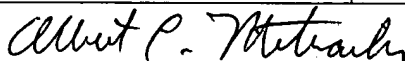
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In re Application of Robert J. South			
Application Number 09/873,597		Filed 6/04/2001	
For Fusible Non-woven Fibrous Seb			
Art Unit 1771		Examiner Jennifer A. Boyd	

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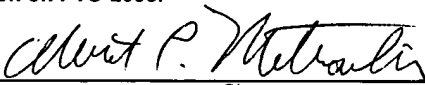
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